

### **REMARKS**

Claims 1, 2, 8, 9, 13, 14, 19, 24, 51, 52, 57, 58, 62, 63, 68, 73, 100, 106-108, 110-112 and 117 have been amended to better recite Applicants' claimed invention. Claims 136 and 138 have been cancelled. Claims 1-24, 51-73 and 100-117 are pending in the application. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

#### **Telephone Interview Summary:**

A telephone interview was conducted between Examiner Patel and Applicants' undersigned attorney on July 23, 2008. Examiner Patel agreed that the above amendments combined with the amendments filed on July 18, 2008 would place the application in condition for allowance.

## CONCLUSION

Applicants submit the application is in condition for allowance, and notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

If any fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge said fees to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert, & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account No. 501505/5181-72200/RCK.

Respectfully submitted,

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